

Dear Rperesentative(s);

In writing, I wish to persuade the FCC from allowing BPL techology to be implemented. The destruction or at the least, deterioration of the shortwave bands is not only a violation of ITU laws that protect international broadcasters from interference and jamming, it will be destroying many people's life hobby. Amateur radio will be reduced to users with high-power amplifiers and large antennas. Emergency communications will be hindered to levels directly responsible for the loss of life.

The American Radio Relay League has made many valid points regarding the significant level of interference that BPL has been proven to create when it is operational, evenat the lowest usage levels. It is my hope that the FCC will take the proper stand on the BPL issue and not cave in to big business or political presures that have no interest or care about what havoc reaping interference that BPL will create. There are many technologies that make BPL unnecessary. Further, the lacking technology capability of BPL is something that the FCC should also not dismiss either. BPL has been shown that it will never be able to carry the high bandwidth demands for mass distribution of video much less the up-and-coming HDTV. These issues should be enough for the FCC to not allow BPL to be pursued because it is indeed not the next best thing, rather, it is a troubled and out-dated approach combined with many intefering problems to radio spectrum

Thank you for taking the time in hearing my input on this very important issue.

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